

REMARKS

Claims 1 – 77 are pending in the Office Action. Claims 7-77 are withdrawn from consideration. Claims 1 – 6 are allowed.

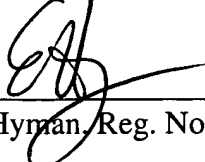
Applicant notes with appreciation the Examiner's assertion in the Office Action that the disclosure is objected to because of informalities noting appropriate correction of misspelled words is required. Applicant has amended the disclosure to overcome the Examiner's objections. Applicant was unable to locate any spelling errors at pages 11, 12, 17 and 19 referenced by the Examiner in the Office Action. Approval is respectfully requested.

In view of the foregoing, it is submitted that all outstanding requirements have been complied with. A Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited at the earliest possible date.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2666 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17, particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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